

# q-ANALOGUE OF THE BEREZIN QUANTIZATION METHOD

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## 1 Introduction

The concept of deformation quantization of a symmetric manifold  $M$  has been defined by Bayen, Flato, Fronsdal, Lichnerovich, and Sternheimer in [1]. Deformation quantization means a formal  $*$ -product

$$f_1 * f_2 = f_1 \cdot f_2 + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} C_k(f_1, f_2) t^k, \quad f_1, f_2 \in C^\infty(M)$$

with some additional properties, where  $C_k : C^\infty(M) \times C^\infty(M) \rightarrow C^\infty(M)$  are bidifferential operators.

In the special case of the unit disc in  $\mathbb{C}$  with  $SU_{1,1}$ -invariant symplectic structure, a formal  $*$ -product and explicit formulae for  $C_k$ ,  $k \in \mathbb{N}$ , are derivable by a method of Berezin [4, 2].

Our intention is to replace the ordinary disc with its  $q$ -analogue. We are going to produce  $U_q \mathfrak{su}_{1,1}$ -invariant formal deformation of our quantum disc and to obtain an explicit formula for  $C_k$ ,  $k \in \mathbb{N}$ , using a  $q$ -analogue of the Berezin method [10].

Our work is closely related to the paper of Klimek and Lesniewski [5] on two-parameter deformation of the unit disc. The explicit formulae for  $C_k$  we provide below work as a natural complement to the results of this paper.

## 2 Covariant symbols of linear operators

Everywhere in the sequel the field of complex numbers  $\mathbb{C}$  is assumed as a ground field. Let also  $q \in (0, 1)$ .

Consider the well known algebra  $\text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q$  with two generators  $z, z^*$  and a single commutation relation  $z^* z = q^2 z z^* + 1 - q^2$ . Our intention is to produce a formal  $*$ -product

$$f_1 * f_2 = f_1 \cdot f_2 + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} C_k(f_1, f_2) t^k, \quad f_1, f_2 \in \text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q, \quad (2.1)$$

(with some remarkable properties) to be given by explicit formulae for bilinear operators  $C_k : \text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q \times \text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q \rightarrow \text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q$ .

We describe in this section the method of producing this  $*$ -product whose idea is due to F. Berezin.

It was explained in [8] that the vector space  $D(\mathbb{U})'_q$  of formal series  $\sum_{j,k=0}^{\infty} a_{jk} z^j z^{*k}$  with complex coefficients is a  $q$ -analogue of the space of distributions in the unit disc  $\mathbb{U} = \{z \in \mathbb{C} \mid |z| < 1\}$ . Equip this space of formal series with the topology of coefficientwise convergence. Since  $\{z^j z^{*k}\}_{j,k \in \mathbb{Z}_+}$  constitute a basis in the vector space  $\text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q$ ,  $\text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q$  admits an embedding into  $D(\mathbb{U})'_q$  as a dense linear subvariety.

Consider the unital subalgebra  $\mathbb{C}[z]_q \subset \text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q$  generated by  $z \in \text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q$ . Let  $\alpha > 0$ . We follow [5] in equipping the vector space  $\mathbb{C}[z]_q$  with the scalar product  $(z^j, z^k)_\alpha = \delta_{jk} \frac{(q^2; q^2)_k}{(q^{4\alpha+2}; q^2)_k}$ ,  $j, k \in \mathbb{Z}_+$ , where  $(a; q^2)_k = (1-a)(1-q^2a) \dots (1-q^{2(k-1)}a)$ .

Let  $L_a^2(d\nu_\alpha)_q$  be the completion of  $\mathbb{C}[z]_q$  with respect to the norm  $\|\psi\|_\alpha = (\psi, \psi)_\alpha^{1/2}$ . It was demonstrated in [5] that the Hilbert space  $L_a^2(d\nu_\alpha)_q$  is a  $q$ -analogue of the weighted Bergman space. Let  $\widehat{z}$  be a linear operator of multiplication by  $z$ :

$$\widehat{z} : L_a^2(d\nu_\alpha)_q \rightarrow L_a^2(d\nu_\alpha)_q; \quad \widehat{z} : \psi(z) \mapsto z \cdot \psi(z),$$

and denote by  $\widehat{z}^*$  the adjoint operator in  $L_a^2(d\nu_\alpha)_q$  to  $\widehat{z}$ . The definition of the scalar product in  $L_a^2(d\nu_\alpha)_q$  implies that the operators  $\widehat{z}$ ,  $\widehat{z}^*$  are bounded. Equip the space  $\mathcal{L}_\alpha$  of bounded linear operators in  $L_a^2(d\nu_\alpha)_q$  with the weakest topology in which all the linear functionals

$$l_{\psi_1, \psi_2} : \mathcal{L}_\alpha \rightarrow \mathbb{C}, \quad l_{\psi_1, \psi_2} : A \mapsto (A\psi_1, \psi_2)_\alpha, \quad \psi_1, \psi_2 \in \mathbb{C}[z]_q$$

are continuous. The following proposition is a straightforward consequence of the definitions (see the proof in [8]).

**Proposition 2.1** *Given any bounded linear operator  $\widehat{f}$  in the Hilbert space  $L_a^2(d\nu_\alpha)_q$ , there exists a unique formal series  $f = \sum_{j,k=0}^{\infty} a_{jk} z^j z^{*k} \in D(\mathbb{U})'_q$  such that  $\widehat{f} = \sum_{j,k=0}^{\infty} a_{jk} \widehat{z}^j \widehat{z}^{*k}$ .*

Thus we get an injective linear map  $\mathcal{L}_\alpha \rightarrow D(\mathbb{U})'_q$ ,  $\widehat{f} \mapsto f$ . The distribution  $f$  is called a *covariant symbol* of the linear operator  $\widehat{f}$ .

**REMARK 2.2.** For an arbitrary  $f \in \text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q$ , there exists a unique operator  $\widehat{f} \in \mathcal{L}_\alpha$  with the covariant symbol  $f$ . Specifically, for  $f = \sum_{j,k=0}^{N(f)} a_{jk} z^j z^{*k}$ , one has  $\widehat{f} = \sum_{j,k=0}^{N(f)} a_{jk} \widehat{z}^j \widehat{z}^{*k}$ .

We follow F. Berezin in producing the  $*$ -product of covariant symbols using the ordinary product of the associated linear operators.

Let  $f_1, f_2 \in \text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q$  and  $\widehat{f}_1, \widehat{f}_2 \in \mathcal{L}_\alpha$  be the operators whose covariant symbols are  $f_1, f_2$ . Under the notation  $t = q^{4\alpha}$ , let  $m_t(f_1, f_2)$  stand for the covariant symbol of the product  $\widehat{f}_1 \cdot \widehat{f}_2$  of the linear maps  $\widehat{f}_1, \widehat{f}_2$ . Evidently, we have constructed a bilinear map  $m_t : \text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q \times \text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q \rightarrow D(\mathbb{U})'_q$ .

The  $*$ -product  $f_1 * f_2$  of  $f_1, f_2 \in \text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q$  is to be introduced by replacement of the one-parameter family of distributions  $m_t(f_1, f_2)$ ,  $t \in (0, 1)$ , with its asymptotic expansion as  $t \rightarrow 0$ .

### 3 \*-Product

The term 'order one differential calculus over the algebra  $\text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q$ ' stand for a  $\text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q$ -bimodule  $\Omega^1(\mathbb{C})_q$  equipped with a linear map  $d : \text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q \rightarrow \Omega^1(\mathbb{C})_q$  such that

- i)  $d$  satisfies the Leibniz rule  $d(f_1 f_2) = df_1 \cdot f_2 + f_1 \cdot df_2$  for any  $f_1, f_2 \in \text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q$ ,
- ii)  $\Omega^1(\mathbb{C})_q$  is a linear span of  $f_1 \cdot df_2 \cdot f_3$ ,  $f_1, f_2, f_3 \in \text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q$  (see [6]).

One can find in [11] a construction of that kind of order one differential calculus for a wide class of prehomogeneous vector spaces  $V$ . In the case  $V = \mathbb{C}$  we deal with this calculus is well known; it can be described in terms of the following commutation relations:

$$z \cdot dz = q^{-2} dz \cdot z, \quad z^* dz^* = q^2 dz^* z^*, \quad z^* dz = q^2 dz \cdot z^*, \quad z \cdot dz^* = q^{-2} dz^* z.$$

The partial derivatives  $\frac{\partial^{(r)}}{\partial z}, \frac{\partial^{(r)}}{\partial z^*}, \frac{\partial^{(l)}}{\partial z}, \frac{\partial^{(l)}}{\partial z^*}$  are linear operators in  $\text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q$  given by

$$df = \frac{\partial^{(r)} f}{\partial z} dz + \frac{\partial^{(r)} f}{\partial z^*} dz^* = dz \frac{\partial^{(l)} f}{\partial z} + dz^* \frac{\partial^{(l)} f}{\partial z^*},$$

with  $f \in \text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q$ .

Let  $\widetilde{\square} : \text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q^{\otimes 2} \rightarrow \text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q^{\otimes 2}$ ,  $m_0 : \text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q^{\otimes 2} \rightarrow \text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q$  be linear operators given by

$$\widetilde{\square}(f_1 \otimes f_2) = \left( \frac{\partial^{(r)} f_1}{\partial z^*} \otimes 1 \right) \cdot q^{-2} (1 - (1 + q^{-2}) z^* \otimes z + q^{-2} z^{*2} \otimes z^2) \cdot \left( 1 \otimes \frac{\partial^{(l)} f_2}{\partial z} \right),$$

$m_0(f_1 \otimes f_2) = f_1 f_2$ , with  $f_1, f_2 \in \text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q$ .

**Theorem 3.1** *For all  $f_1, f_2 \in \text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q$ , the following asymptotic expansion in  $D(\mathbb{U})'_q$  is valid:*

$$m_t(f_1, f_2) \underset{t \rightarrow 0}{\sim} f_1 * f_2, \quad \text{with}$$

$$f_1 * f_2 = f_1 \cdot f_2 + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} C_k(f_1, f_2) t^k \in \text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q[[t]], \quad (3.1)$$

$$C_k(f_1, f_2) = m_0 \left( \left( p_k \left( \widetilde{\square} \right) - p_{k-1} \left( \widetilde{\square} \right) \right) (f_1 \otimes f_2) \right), \quad (3.2)$$

and  $p_k(x)$ ,  $k \in \mathbb{Z}_+$ , are polynomials given by

$$p_k(x) = \sum_{j=0}^k \frac{(q^{-2k}; q^2)_j}{(q^2; q^2)_j^2} q^{2j} \prod_{i=0}^{j-1} (1 - q^{2i} ((1 - q^2)^2 x + 1 + q^2) + q^{4i+2}). \quad (3.3)$$

This statement is to be proved in the next section, using the results of [10] on a  $q$ -analogue of the Berezin transform [12].

We are grateful to H. T. Koelink who attracted our attention to the fact that the polynomials  $p_k(x)$  differ from the polynomials of Al-Salam – Chihara [7] only by normalizing multiples and a linear change of the variable  $x$ .

## 4 A $q$ -analogue of the Berezin transform

Remind the notation  $t = q^{4\alpha}$ , with  $q \in (0, 1)$ ,  $\alpha > 0$ .

Consider the linear map  $\text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q \rightarrow \mathcal{L}_\alpha$  which sends a polynomial  $\overset{\circ}{f} = \sum_{jk} b_{jk} z^{*j} z^k$  to the linear operator  $\widehat{f} = \sum_{jk} b_{jk} \widehat{z}^{*j} \widehat{z}^k$ . The polynomial  $\overset{\circ}{f}$  will be called a *contravariant symbol* of the linear operator  $\widehat{f}$ .

Note that our definitions of covariant and contravariant symbols agree with the conventional ones, as one can observe from [10] (specifically, see proposition 6.6 and lemma 7.2 of that work).

The term '*q-transform of Berezin*' will be stand for the linear operator  $B_{q,t} : \text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q \rightarrow D(\mathbb{U})'_q$ ,  $B_{q,t} : \overset{\circ}{f} \mapsto f$ , which sends the contravariant symbols of linear operators  $\widehat{f} = \sum_{jk} b_{jk} \widehat{z}^{*j} \widehat{z}^k$  to their covariant symbols.

REMARK 4.1. It is easy to extend the operators  $B_{q,t}$  onto the entire '*space of bounded functions in the quantum disc*' via a non-standard approach to their construction (see [10]).

[10, proposition 5.5] imply

**Proposition 4.1** *Given arbitrary  $\overset{\circ}{f} \in \text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q$ , the following asymptotic expansion in the topological vector space  $D(\mathbb{U})'_q$  is valid:*

$$B_{q,t} \overset{\circ}{f} \underset{t \rightarrow 0}{\simeq} \overset{\circ}{f} + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} ((p_k(\square) \overset{\circ}{f} - p_{k-1}(\square) \overset{\circ}{f}) t^k,$$

with  $\square$  being a  $q$ -analogue of the Laplace-Beltrami operator

$$\square f \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} (1 - zz^*)^2 \frac{\partial^{(l)}}{\partial z^*} \frac{\partial^{(l)}}{\partial z} f = q^2 \frac{\partial^{(r)}}{\partial z^*} \frac{\partial^{(r)}}{\partial z} f (1 - zz^*)^2,$$

with  $f \in \text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q$  and  $p_k$ ,  $k \in \mathbb{Z}_+$ , being polynomials given by (3.3).

It follows from the definition of the bilinear maps  $m_t$ ,  $t \in (0, 1)$ , that for all  $i, j, k, l \in \mathbb{Z}_+$ ,  $f_1, f_2 \in \text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} m_t(z^i f_1, f_2) &= z^i m_t(f_1, f_2), \\ m_t(f_1, f_2 z^{*l}) &= m_t(f_1, f_2) z^{*l}, \\ m_t(z^{*j}, z^k) &= B_{q,t}(z^{*j} z^k). \end{aligned}$$

Hence for all  $i, j, k, l \in \mathbb{Z}_+$  one has

$$m_t((z^i z^{*j}), (z^k z^{*l})) = z^i B_{q,t}(z^{*j} z^k) z^{*l}. \quad (4.1)$$

We are about to deduce theorem 3.1 from (4.1) and proposition 4.1. In fact, one can easily demonstrate as in [10, proposition 8.3] that

$$\begin{aligned} \square(f_2(z^*) \cdot f_1(z)) &= q^2 \frac{\partial^{(r)} f_2(z^*)}{\partial z^*} (1 - z z^*)^2 \frac{\partial^{(l)} f_1(z)}{\partial z} = \\ &= \frac{\partial^{(r)} f_2(z^*)}{\partial z^*} q^{-2} (1 - (1 + q^{-2}) z^* z + q^{-2} z^{*2} z^2) \frac{\partial^{(l)} f_1(z)}{\partial z} \end{aligned}$$

for arbitrary polynomials  $f_1(z)$ ,  $f_2(z^*)$ . What remains is to compare this expression for  $\square$  with the definition of  $\square$  and apply the fact that  $\{z^i z^{*j}\}_{i,j \in \mathbb{Z}_+}$  constitute a basis in the vector space  $\text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q$ .

## 5 A formal associativity

**Proposition 5.1** *The multiplication in  $\text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q[[t]]$  given by the bilinear map*

$$m : \text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q[[t]] \times \text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q[[t]] \rightarrow \text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q[[t]],$$

$$m : \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} a_j t^j \times \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} b_k t^k \mapsto \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \left( \sum_{j+k=i} a_j * b_k \right) t^i, \quad (5.1)$$

with  $\{a_j\}_{j \in \mathbb{Z}_+}, \{b_k\}_{k \in \mathbb{Z}_+} \in \text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q$ , is associative.

**Proof.** Introduce the algebra  $\text{End}_{\mathbb{C}}(\mathbb{C}[z]_q)$  of all linear operators in the vector space  $\mathbb{C}[z]_q$ , and the algebra  $\text{End}_{\mathbb{C}}(\mathbb{C}[z]_q)[[t]]$  of formal series with coefficients in  $\text{End}_{\mathbb{C}}(\mathbb{C}[z]_q)$ . To prove our statement, it suffices to establish an isomorphism of the algebra  $\text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q[[t]]$  equipped with the multiplication  $m$  and a subalgebra of  $\text{End}_{\mathbb{C}}(\mathbb{C}[z]_q)[[t]]$  given the standard multiplication. Let  $\mathcal{I} : \text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q \rightarrow \text{End}_{\mathbb{C}}(\mathbb{C}[z]_q)[[t]]$  be such a linear operator that for all  $j, k, m \in \mathbb{Z}_+$

$$\mathcal{I}(z^j z^{*k}) : z^m \mapsto \begin{cases} \frac{(q^{2m}; q^{-2})_k}{(tq^{2m}; q^{-2})_k} z^{m-k+j} & , \quad k \leq m \\ 0 & , \quad k > m \end{cases}.$$

(More precisely, one should replace the rational function  $1/(tq^{2m}; q^{-2})_k$  of an indeterminate  $t$  with its Teylor expansion.)

The following lemma follows from the construction of [10, section 7].

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<sup>1</sup>The outward sum clearly converges in the topological vector space  $\text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q[[t]]$ .

**Lemma 5.2** *The linear map*

$$Q : \text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q[[t]] \rightarrow \text{End}_{\mathbb{C}}(\mathbb{C}[z]_q)[[t]],$$

$$Q : \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} f_j t^j \mapsto \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \mathcal{I}(f_j) t^{j^2}, \quad \{f_j\}_{j \in \mathbb{Z}_+} \subset \text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q,$$

*is injective, and for all  $\psi_1, \psi_2 \in \text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q[[t]]$  one has  $Qm(\psi_1, \psi_2) = (Q\psi_1) \cdot (Q\psi_2)$ .*

Lemma 5.2 implies the associativity of the multiplication  $m$  in  $\text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q[[t]]$ . Thus, proposition 5.1 is proved.  $\blacksquare$

Define a linear operator  $*$  in  $\text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q[[t]]$  by

$$\left( \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} f_j t^j \right)^* = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} f_j^* t^j, \quad \{f_j\}_{j \in \mathbb{Z}_+} \subset \text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q.$$

**Proposition 5.3**  *$*$  is an involution in  $\text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q[[t]]$  equipped by  $m$  as a multiplication:*

$$m(\psi_1, \psi_2)^* = m(\psi_2^*, \psi_1^*), \quad \psi_1, \psi_2 \in \text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q[[t]].$$

**Proof.** For all  $f_1, f_2 \in \text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q$  one has

$$(m_0(f_1 \otimes f_2))^* = m_0(f_2^* \otimes f_1^*),$$

$$\tilde{\square}^{21}(f_1 \otimes f_2)^{* \otimes *} = \tilde{\square}(f_1^* \otimes f_2^*)$$

with  $\tilde{\square}^{21} = c_0 \square c_0$ , and  $c_0$  being the flip of tensor multiples. What remains is to observe that the coefficients of  $p_n(x)$ ,  $n \in \mathbb{Z}_+$ , are real, and to apply (5.1), (3.1), (3.2).  $\blacksquare$

## 6 $U_q \mathfrak{su}_{1,1}$ -invariance

Remind some well known results on the quantum group  $SU_{1,1}$  and the quantum disc (see, for example, [3, 9]).

The quantum universal enveloping algebra  $U_q \mathfrak{sl}_2$  is a Hopf algebra over  $\mathbb{C}$  determined by the generators  $K, K^{-1}, E, F$ , and the relations

$$KK^{-1} = K^{-1}K = 1, \quad K^{\pm 1}E = q^{\pm 2}EK^{\pm 1}, \quad K^{\pm 1}F = q^{\mp 2}FK^{\pm 1},$$

$$EF - FE = (K - K^{-1})/(q - q^{-1}).$$

Comultiplication  $\Delta : U_q \mathfrak{sl}_2 \rightarrow U_q \mathfrak{sl}_2 \otimes U_q \mathfrak{sl}_2$ , counit  $\varepsilon : U_q \mathfrak{sl}_2 \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  and antipode  $S : U_q \mathfrak{sl}_2 \rightarrow U_q \mathfrak{sl}_2$  are given by

$$\Delta(K^{\pm 1}) = K^{\pm 1} \otimes K^{\pm 1}, \quad \Delta(E) = E \otimes 1 + K \otimes E, \quad \Delta(F) = F \otimes K^{-1} + 1 \otimes F,$$

$$\varepsilon(E) = \varepsilon(F) = \varepsilon(K^{\pm 1} - 1) = 0,$$

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<sup>2</sup>The convergence of the series  $\sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \mathcal{I}(f_j) t^{j^2}$  in the space  $\text{End}_{\mathbb{C}}(\mathbb{C}[z]_q)[[t]]$  is obvious.

$$S(K^{\pm 1}) = K^{\mp 1}, \quad S(E) = -K^{-1}E, \quad S(F) = -FK.$$

The structure of Hopf algebra allows one to define a tensor product of  $U_q\mathfrak{sl}_2$ -modules and a tensor product of their morphisms. Thus, we obtain a tensor category of  $U_q\mathfrak{sl}_2$ -modules.

Consider an algebra  $F$  equipped also with a structure of  $U_q\mathfrak{sl}_2$ -module.  $F$  is called a  $U_q\mathfrak{sl}_2$ -module algebra if the multiplication

$$m_F : F \otimes F \rightarrow F, \quad m_F : f_1 \otimes f_2 \mapsto f_1 f_2, \quad f_1, f_2 \in F,$$

is a morphism of  $U_q\mathfrak{sl}_2$ -modules. (In the case  $F$  has a unit, the above definition should also include its invariance:  $\xi \cdot 1 = \varepsilon(\xi)1$ ,  $\xi \in U_q\mathfrak{sl}_2$ ).

The following relations determine a structure of  $U_q\mathfrak{sl}_2$ -module algebra on  $\mathbb{C}[z]_q$ :

$$K^{\pm 1}z = q^{\pm 2}z, \quad Fz = q^{1/2}, \quad Ez = -q^{1/2}z^2. \quad (6.1)$$

Equip  $U_q\mathfrak{sl}_2$  with an involution:

$$E^* = -KF, \quad F^* = -EK^{-1}, \quad (K^{\pm 1})^* = K^{\pm 1},$$

and let  $U_q\mathfrak{su}_{1,1}$  stand for the Hopf  $*$ -algebra produced this way. An involutive algebra  $F$  is said to be  $U_q\mathfrak{su}_{1,1}$ -module algebra if it is  $U_q\mathfrak{sl}_2$ -module algebra, and the involutions in  $F$  and  $U_q\mathfrak{su}_{1,1}$  agree as follows:

$$(\xi f)^* = (S(\xi))^* f^*, \quad \xi \in U_q\mathfrak{su}_{1,1}, \quad f \in F. \quad (6.2)$$

(6.1) determines a structure of  $U_q\mathfrak{su}_{1,1}$ -module algebra in  $\text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q$ . Thus, each of the vector spaces  $\text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q$ ,  $\text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q[[t]]$  is equipped with a structure of  $U_q\mathfrak{su}_{1,1}$ -module.

**Proposition 6.1**  $\text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q[[t]]$  with the multiplication defined above and the involution  $*$  is a  $U_q\mathfrak{su}_{1,1}$ -module algebra.

**Proof.** Since  $\text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q$  is a  $U_q\mathfrak{su}_{1,1}$ -module algebra, (6.2) is valid for  $F = \text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q$ . Hence it is also true for  $F = \text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q[[t]]$ . What remains is to prove that  $\text{Pol}(\mathbb{C})_q[[t]]$  is a  $U_q\mathfrak{sl}_2$ -module algebra. For that, by a virtue of (3.1), (3.2), it suffices to demonstrate that the linear maps  $m_0$  and  $\tilde{\square}$  are morphisms of  $U_q\mathfrak{sl}_2$ -modules. As for  $m_0$ , this property has already been mentioned. So we need only to consider  $\tilde{\square}$ . Given any polynomials  $f_1(z^*)$ ,  $f_2(z)$ , it follows from  $\square(f_1(z^*)f_2(z)) = \sum_{jk} b_{jk} z^{*j} z^k$ ,  $b_{jk} \in \mathbb{C}$ , that

$$\tilde{\square}(f_1(z^*) \otimes f_2(z)) = \sum_{jk} b_{jk} z^{*j} \otimes z^k, \text{ and}$$

$$\tilde{\square}(g_1(z)f_1(z^*) \otimes f_2(z)g_2(z^*)) = (g_1(z) \otimes 1)\tilde{\square}(f_1(z^*) \otimes f_2(z))(1 \otimes g_2(z^*)).$$

Thus, it suffices to prove that  $\square$  is a morphism  $U_q\mathfrak{sl}_2$ -modules. This latter result is obtained in [9] (It is a consequence of  $U_q\mathfrak{su}_{1,1}$ -invariance of the differential calculus in the quantum disc considered there). ■

**REMARK 6.2.** The works [8, 9] deal with the  $U_q\mathfrak{su}_{1,1}$ -module algebra  $D(\mathbb{U})_q$  of 'finite functions in the quantum disc'. (The space  $D(\mathbb{U})'_q$  mentioned in this work is dual to  $D(\mathbb{U})_q$ ). The relations (3.1) – (3.3) determine a formal deformation of  $D(\mathbb{U})_q$  in the class of  $U_q\mathfrak{su}_{1,1}$ -module algebras, that is, it allows one to equip  $D(\mathbb{U})_q[[t]]$  with a structure of  $U_q\mathfrak{su}_{1,1}$ -module algebra over the ring  $\mathbb{C}[[t]]$ .

## 7 Concluding notes

We have demonstrated that the method of Berezin allows one to produce a formal deformation for a  $q$ -analogue of the unit disc. In [11],  $q$ -analogues for arbitrary bounded symmetric domains were constructed. We hope in that essentially more general setting, the method of Berezin will help remarkable results to be obtained.

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